IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

RICKY BROWNING,

Petitioner,

v.

STATE OF OHIO, Warden,

CASE NO. 2:06-cv-00005 JUDGE WATSON MAGISTRATE JUDGE ABEL

Respondent.

OPINION AND ORDER

On August 11, 2006, the Magistrate Judge issued a Report and Recommendation recommending that the instant petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §2254 be dismissed. Although the parties were specifically informed of their right to object to the Report and Recommendation, and of the consequences of their failure to do so, there has nevertheless been no objection to the Report and Recommendation.

The Report and Recommendation is hereby ADOPTED AND AFFIRMED. This case is DISMISSED. The Clerk is DIRECTED to enter final judgment dismissing this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

MICHAEL H. WATSON United States District Judge